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Beaverton Man Arrested For The Death Of His Seven-Week Old Son

On January 2, 2013 at approximately 11:55 p.m., Beaverton Police Officers responded to the King's Court Apartments on SW Estuary Drive on a report of a child not breathing.

When officers arrived, they contacted the parents of the child; identified as Robert Myers 26 years old and Stephanie Baker 27 years old, both of Beaverton. The child was identified as Aden Russ Myers, seven weeks old. Responding officers were initially told by R. Myers that he had accidentally fallen asleep on the sofa next to the victim. When R. Myers awoke, he informed officers he had found the child unresponsive and called 911.

Aden Myers was transported by ambulance to the hospital and was placed on life support because he could not breathe on his own. A. Myers was taken off of life support on the evening of January 3, 2013.

Detectives responded to the hospital and conducted interviews with both R. Myers and Baker. Further investigation led detectives to re-interview R. Myers on January 3, 2013.

During this interview, statements were made by R. Myers that led detectives to arrest him for the murder of his child. R Myers was transported to the Washington County Jail and lodged on the charge of murder. R. Myers will be arraigned in Washington County Circuit court today at 3:00 p.m.



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